

U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

**Amendment to Registration Statement****Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**

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1. Name of Registrant

Sidley Austin LLP

2. Registration No.

3731

3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indicated purpose or purposes:

☐ To give a 10-day notice of change in information as required by Section 2(b) of the Act.

☐ To correct a deficiency in

☐ Initial Statement

☐ Supplemental Statement for the period ending \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other purpose (*specify*) \_\_\_\_\_

☒ To give notice of change in an exhibit previously filed.

4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list:

5. Each item checked above must be explained below in full detail together with, where appropriate, specific reference to and identity of the item in the registration statement to which it pertains. (*If space is insufficient, a full insert page must be used.*)

Sidley Austin LLP hereby cancels and withdraws Exhibits A and B to Registration Statement that were filed on October 8, 2018. (Transaction No. 31276.) Sidley Austin filed a Lobbying Disclosure Act (LDA) Registration Form on behalf of the same client, beIN Media Group LLC, with the U.S. Congress on October 15, 2018. That registration is attached hereto. Therefore, Sidley Austin LLP qualifies for the exemption from filing a FARA registration under 22 USC Section 613(h). The e-filing made on October 8, 2018 should be deleted.

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**EXECUTION**

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature<sup>1</sup>)

October 16, 2018

/s/ Joseph B. Tompkins, Jr.

eSigned

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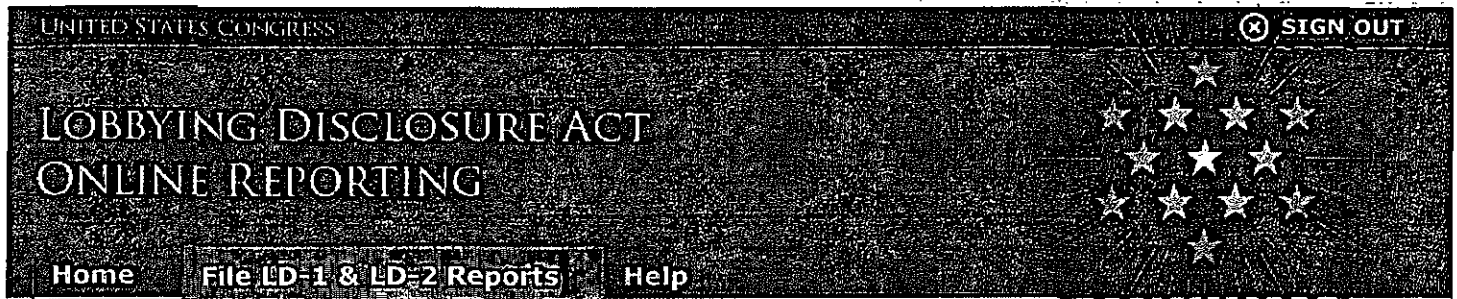
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<sup>1</sup> This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.



## LD-1 Lobbying Registration

### 2018 Registration

Registrant: Sidley Austin LLP

Client: beIN Media Group LLC (31204)



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**Client Name:** beIN Media Group LLC

**Report Year:** 2018

**Report Period:** Registration.

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# LOBBYING REGISTRATION

## Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (Section 4)

Check One: ☐ New Registrant ☒ New Client for Existing Registrant ☐ Amendment

1. Effective Date of Registration 10/15/2018  
 2. House Identification 31204 Senate Identification 35230

**REGISTRANT** ☒ Organization/Lobbying Firm ☐ Self Employed Individual

3. Registrant Organization Sidley Austin LLP  
 Address 1501 K Street Address2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 City Washington State DC Zip 20005 Country USA

4. Principal place of business (if different than line 3)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

5. Contact name and telephone number

☐ International Number

Contact Mr. Michael Nemeroff Telephone 2027368235 E-mail mlyles@sidley.com

6. General description of registrant's business or activities  
Law firm

**CLIENT** A Lobbying Firm is required to file a separate registration for each client. Organizations employing in-house lobbyists should check the box labeled "Self" and proceed to line 10. ☐ Self

7. Client name beIN Media Group LLC  
 Address TV Roundabout, TV & Radio Complex, PO Box 23231  
 City Doha State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip 00000 Country QAT

8. Principal place of business (if different than line 7)

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

9. General description of client's business or activities  
TV production, distribution, and media rights acquisition.

## LOBBYISTS

10. Name of each individual who has acted or is expected to act as a lobbyist for the client identified on line 7. If any person listed in this section has served as a "covered executive branch official" or "covered legislative branch official" within twenty years of first acting as a lobbyist for the client, state the executive and/or legislative position(s) in which the person served.

Name			Covered Official Position (if applicable)
First	Last	Suffix	
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